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SUBJ: IRANIAN FOREIGN MINISTER'S VISIT TO TURKEY

1. FOREIGN MINISTER KHALATBARI SUMMONED ME AUGUST 19 FOR PURPOSE OF EMPHASIZING THAT HIS FOUR-DAY TRIP TO TURKEY, BEGINNING AUGUST 20, HAS NOTHING WHATEVER TO DO WITH THE CYPRUS PROBLEM AND SHOULD NOT BE INTERPRETED AS HAVING ANY SIGNIFICANCE IN CONNECTION THEREWITH. KHALATBARI EXPLAINED THAT HE HAD BEEN DUE TO VISIT TURKEY SOME WEEKS AGO BUT THAT THE TRIP HAD BEEN POSTPONED AT THE REQUEST OF THE TURKS BECAUSE OF THE THEN EXISTING CABINET CRISIS. KHALATBARI WAS HOPING THAT IT WOULD AGAIN BE POSTPONED BUT THE TURKS ARE INSISTING THAT HE COME THIS TIME AND THE SHAH HAS AGREED THAT HE SHOULD.

2. KHALATBARI ASKED ME IF I COULD INTERPRET FOR HIM THE NEW DEPLOYMENT OF THE CRUISER LITTLE ROCK AND THE STRONG STATEMENTS OF SECRETARY SCHLESINGER ON A TELEVISION PROGRAM. SINCE WE HAVE RECEIVED NO DEPARTMENT GUIDANCE ON USG POLICY WITH RESPECT TO CYPRUS, I CONFINED MY REMARKS TO OBSERVING THAT IT WAS THE CLEAR DESIRE OF THE USG TO HAVE THE TURKS CEASE THEIR MILITARY FORAYS ON CYPRUS.
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